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Ocean Planning Work Group Meeting Agenda: October 2, 2008

DHEC-OCRM, 1362 McMillan Ave., Charleston, SC

12:45 –12:50	Welcome; Agenda
12:50 – 1:05	Overview of SC Ocean Mapping Priorities • Consensus Letter (Oregon Template)
1:05 – 1:20	Draft Ocean Governance Document (Prepared for review by OPWG)
1:20– 1:50	Offshore Energy Discussions
	 Federal legislation and MMS 5-year oil & gas leasing program (CSO comments)
	• South Carolina's Position re: Offshore Oil & Gas
	SC Study Groups: Oil & Gas; Wind
	• MMS Proposed Rules and EA for Alternative Energy – CSO comment letter / Public Hearing in Savannah
1:50 – 2:10	South Carolina State Survey (public perceptions about ocean issues/resources) Robert Oldendick, University of South Carolina Institute for Public Service
	and Policy Research
2:10 – 2:30	Updates / Next Steps
	• Recent MMS Workshops:
	 Sand Mining - September 16, 2008 (Charleston)
	• Monitoring Workshop (Nov. 12)
2:30	Adjourn